## TRADE TO SUSPEND FOR DEFENCE MARCH

from the head of the great business corporations to the clerk in the department | Lodge this afternoon.

For the last few days flags and posters have been appearing in the windows and over the doors of business houses large and small from State street to The Bronx announcing that business will be suspended on preparedness day. There that among the principal speakers at pling to industry and trade. Some idea of the magnitude of the proposition can be gained when it is figured that the preparedness parade will be twenty miles | vited. in length, thirteen hours long, marching twenty men abreast-half as huge again has ever been turned out.

### All Trades Represented.

The department stores are among those concerns which will suspend busi-ness to allow their employees to march. Yesterday five of the largest concerns in the city sent word to Miss Mary Don-nelly, who has been in charge of that section, that they will remain closed Favor from Friday night to Monday morning. Three more will close at noon Saturday and one other will observe either a half or a whole holiday. Nine more are expected to make similar announcements to-day, and only seven stores in the city have refused to countenance the demonented, for shop girls, tired though they

As for the other trades, there is hardly ber, steel and a score of others have

The police department interfered with have gone to the length of saying that the police department interfered with have gone to the length of saying that the police department is the enforcement of the order would drive the enforcement of the

their offices opposite Madison Square to be the headquarters during the parade and the offer was accepted. All police and fire calls connected with the parade banks could afford to carry it on. The

bers was appointed yesterday to manige the expenses of the day. It is expected that there will be a small surplus and this is to be given to the Plattsburg training camps. Many applications were received from political.

Instructions to the Police. To prepare the police to cope with any margency at the preparedness parade, commissioner Woods yesterday ordered the distribution of eight-page pamphlets containing instructions to members of the for e detailed along the line of march. Although the police are confident that they will be able to handle the crowds, unusual arrangements have been made to insure the expect of cities.

police lines in Fifth avenue shall be Rev. Julian Roszkowsh held intact as far as Fifty-seventh street Mount Carmel, Bayonne. until the dismissal of the Nation Guard. To facilitate the dismissal Guard. To facilitate the dismissal of the other marchers eight streets for a distance of one block east and west of the thoroughfare will be kept as far as possible clear of pedestrians and vehicles. They are: Thirty-seventh street, Thirty-eighth street, Thirty-fourth street, Fortieth street, Fifty-furth street, Fifty-fifth street, Fifty-sixth street and Fifty-seventh street.

Bouck White's Trial Set for June 2 Denied a trial by jury on a charge of desecrating the American flag, Bouck White, paster of the Church of the Social Revolution, pleaded not guilty he-fore Justice Garvin in Special Sessions yesterday. Justice Garvin inxed June 2 as the date for trial before three Jus-tices of the Court of Special Sessions.

# **ADDRESS BANKERS**

anything from a collar button to a law- among the orators at the convention of minutes." yer's advice will have a hard time getthe American Bankers Association in
Kansas City the last of September this
ness, comparatively speaking, will be at
year. This was announced at the close
made his attack or when men, as Mr.
Moss said, "were not sparring for posi-

the action taken was due to a diplomatic compromise whereby John Skelton Will- or indirectly was used. not be asked to speak.

When the meeting began three days ago it was reported as an assured fact

friendly. After some informal conferences it was announced this afternoo year's meeting a strictly banking affair throughout. The speakers will be a leading American banker, one from abroad probably and one from South

Favor Abolishing the Position. One result of the convention may h that the association will cooperate

other persons in suggesting that the office of Comptroller be abolished. plication will be taken to Washington.

As a result of the debate which has been going on between committees and with Benjamin Strong, Jr., governor of the New York Federal Reserve Bank, a committee of five was appointed to-day by President Lynch to go to Washington

two weeks the task of the combination of the committee consists of W. H. Bucholz, vice-president of the Omaha National Bank; J. Elwood Cox, president of the Commercial National Bank day at least, and those which take part of High Point, N. C., and chairman of in the morning parade will do no busi-the national bank section of the asso-ness for the entire day. Wall Street clation; John McHugh, vae-president of day at least, and those which take part in the morning parade will do no business for the entire day. Wall Street the national bank section of the association; John McHugh, v&-president of will have a slow time from the lack of brokers, while the law itself will half while several thousand lawyers and judges march. There will be whole sections of physicians who will forsake their practice and clergymen who will their practice and clergymen who will of Meridian, Miss.

The country bankers almost to a man.

abandon their parishes to urge prepared-mess.

The country bankers almost to a man are opposed to the new order and some have been started when John Brady, terfered with whole

The larger banks oppose the plan in will be sent there, the telephone number being Madison Square 958.

A financial committee of four mem-

pairiotic and social organizations for permission to speak to the marchers as they lined up in the various side streets, but they were all rejected. The only privilege granted was for the distribution of Red Cross literature to the marchers.

J. M. Barnes, in charge of the theatrical section, promised to have the executive committee as his guests for a vaude-ville show some day after the parade, and the committee, not to be outdone, appointed George T. Wilson, vice-pressident of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, to arrange a dinner to precede Society, to arrange a dinner to precede hotel here for three days from cellar to the show. for the public summer opening to-mor-

### CATHOLIC ASSIGNMENTS MADE.

een made to insure the safety of citi- day by Bishop O'Connor, of Newark, af-"Good judgment," the pamphlets say, fect twelve parishes. Among the priests

"Good judgment," the pamphlets say, "must be used in permitting persons and vehicles to cross through the police lines, but at no time will any person be permitted to stand within the police lines, except those holding police line passes issued by the Police Commissioner.

"Crosstown cars will be kept moving by permitting them to pass whenever there is a break in the parade or by holding up the parade when necessary for the passage of such cars.

"Commanding officers will give special attention to the movement of United States mail wagons and instruct members of the department under their command to facilitate the movement of such wagons at all times.

"Patrol wagons in charge of police singeons will report at \$:30 in the morning at Broadway and Cortlands street, Lafayette and Canal streets, Lafayette, and Bleecker streets, and in Fifth avenue at Twenty-fifth. Thirty-fifth, Forty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets."

More than 2.000 policemen will be assigned to duty along the line of march, which starts at Park Row and Centre street, via Centre street to Lafayette street, via Centre street to Lafayette street, to Fourth street.

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Particular care will be exercised that police lines in Fifth avenue to Fift Particular care will be exercised that St. Casimir's Church, Newark, and the Julian Roszkowski, Church



## WILLIAMS WILL NOT HANDS OF INTERBOROUGH ALL CLEAN, SAYS BERWIND Continued from Piret Page. | per cent., said Mr. Berwind, but never

Big Stores and Offices Will
Close Down for Preparedness Demonstration.

BOY SCOUTS DROP OUT

COMBAT CLEARING RULE

Prom present indications the New Yorker who sets out Saturday to buy anything from a collar button to a lawamong the orators at the convention of the company he wouldn't have lasted five minutes."

Comptroller Left Off Speakrapidly those days."

At this point the "nigger in the woodpile" entered and Mr. Moss asked:
"What was the nigger? Whose nigger was it? Who put it there? Do you spell the nigger m-o-n-e-y?"
"No, sir," said Mr. Berwind.
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"No, sir," said Mr. Berwind.
"Well, has it ever occurred to you that any one who received the bounty and favor of the company might have converted the nigger into money?"
"No, and if there was anything like that among the officers or directors of the company he wouldn't have lasted five minutes."

council of the association at Briarcliff this committee." Mr. Moss said, this committee." Mr. Moss held up to him the Interborough's situation—fighting the B. R. T., the triborough proposal—"fighting for its life"—and Mr. Berwind said:
"I do not believe any agency directly

No Irregularities, He Says. "Did it ever occur to you when you read Mr. McAneny's statement where an active and honest director might commitments and obligations? What you or your associates do to find out? Berwind explained Mr. Shonts's transactions with the board regarding the proposed Stevens contract and when Senator Thompson pressed him for the fifth wheel, according to bankers, it answer the committee wanted the wit-

slightest conception or believes there Mr. Berwind related Mr. Shonts's deas the famous "sound money parade" of 1896 or the big Republican march of gested his name and also that there were 1908. No other demonstration of its size some at the meeting who were not so posing John F. Stevens. The committee believes its telephone wires are being talked of compensation between 5 and 20 tapped.

Shonts went to Europe and when he re-turned Mr. Stevens had dropped out—he had financial difficulties and bids were opened letting in the Gillespie and other business, said Mr. Berwind, what Stevens or Gillespie did.

"Did you know of Mr. Morgan's writ-ing a letter to Mr. Shonts disapproving the Steven's contract?" asked Mr.

"I didn't," replied the witness.
"Did you know that there was friend ship between Mr. Morgan and Mr. Gilmade him acceptable to Mr. Morgan?" "I did not," retorted Mr. Berwind,
"That third tracking competition was straight case of business." The only other witness yesterday was

Bridge Commissioned F. J. H. Kracke, who described the Centre street who described the Centre street loop situation. Is operation, he said, and the removal of the "monstresity" ele-vated structure from City Hall Park depends on the Brooklyn Rapid Transit which seemed to exceed the wage in-meeting the city's demands. The city, creases would be investigated, it bet appears, is losing \$96 a day in interand amortization charges because the B. R. T. refuses to use the Centre street loop connection with the Brook-lyn bridge, which cost the city—the entire loop—\$800,000. The city, he said, official quarters is that the Trade Comis also losing \$150,000 a year in tolls mission already is preparing to begin its part of the loop. "

day that the two Gillespie's-T. H. and stand that the issue the companies will asked to come again. Besides the committee intended to take up with Police Commissioner Woods and the telephone Senator Thompson regards as a matter ing by his correspondence, half the city

## N. J. TOWN IN TERROR AFTER ARSON ARRESTS

Magistrate and Two Constables Accused-Posse Ready to Go to Elwood.

MAYS LANDING, N. J. May 10. -Elwood, quiet country town on the county istrate and two constables on charges of arson. The Magistrate, John Ireland, is working at Penns Grove and us yet has Edwards, who pleaded not guilty yester-The indictments charge that a garage and barn, the property of Robert S. set aftre. Back of this there is a long story of a neighborhood feud, alleged to have been started two summers ago when John Brady, Smith's chauffeur, in Thela York

nto their hands, nith was warned by an ane discharge Brady, but instead

bullet from a revolver passing through

detectives now quartered on his place Half the residents of the town are said be afraid to venture abroad after dar

### TEN IN AUTO PARTY NABBED

Princeton Garage.

charges of speeding, scarcely one a day

hired a detective. The latter was present when blackmail money is alleged to have been handed over by Smith to ob-tain immunity from fires following the alleged attempt to burn his garage and barn. Brady was once shot at in the woods while driving a car. He was twice fired upon while in his home, one

BRUNSWICK, N. J. May 10 .- Ter

# COAL PRICE INQUIRY VIRTUALLY CERTAIN

Washington Believes Trade Board Has Begun Plans for Hearing.

COMPANIES TO

WASHINGTON, May 16 .- Important in vestigation of the anthracite industry is virtually assured as a result of the price increase which has been decided upon by the companies since the recent ware increases. Following the publication of correspondence between Attorney-General Gregory and the Federal Trade Commission yesterday, in which it was disclosed that any increases in price which seemed to exceed the wage in came known to-day that Department of investigation.

A.—had been subprensed to appear raise is almost identical with that they day. Mr. Berwind also has been have put forward in defending the Govley and other hard coal concerns. It was pointed out at the Department tohay that the Government contends that the railroad influences alleged to be in control of the hard coal industry have attempted to affect a technical comcliance with the law, especially the com nodities clause of the Hepburn act, by hase the coal at the mouth of the mine The coal selling companies will argue that they, unlike the railroads, do not do an interstate business and therefore

ere not subject to Federal regulation The companies are thoroughly pared to defend the price increases

ings on investments exceeding \$100,000,000 was \$14,000,000. The companies estimate that the wage increases will reduce this profit to \$2,000,000. They wage outlay

Positive Announcement of Prices I

cents a ton more and there will be an The tidewater coal prices also will b

Department of Justice officials under-

ided upon. It is said in their behalf hat in the last year the total net earn-

reduce this profit to \$2,000,000. They do not believe the commission will find

## 50 CENT RISE LIKELY.

A positive announcement of coal prices for the next few months may be ex companies, though all deny they have combined to fix prices. Advance schedules, however, indicate that prices will go up enough to make stove coal cost \$7.75 a ton next winter and furnace coal \$7.50. This will be an increase of 50 cents a ton. Coal prices will go up gradually, how-

# August 1 and September 1, 16 cents a month. The winter wholesale prices will be as follows: Egg (furnace), \$5.45; stove, \$5.70; chestnut, \$5.75, and pea, \$4.05. The increase is occasioned by the new wage scale involving higher pay recently granted to the anthracite miners. The coal situation here has been unsettled for some time and those companies that have sold much at wholesale have sold no little of it "at whatever price may prevail at shipment." No positive prices have been fixed by such large companies as the Philadelphia and Reading. Delaware, Lackawanna and Western and Lehigh Valley, but all expect to make their prices public to-day. It is likely also that the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company and the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company will agree on their prices to-morrow, or very soon. All the companies and Joseph W. Vought, deputy commissioner of the Coal METHODISTS DEMAND THAT HAWAII BE DRY - TO COLOR

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SARATOGA, N. Y., May 10 .- All reference to alleged drunkenness in the United States army was omitted from resolution adopted to-day by the Methodist General Conference requesting Vought, deputy commissioner of the Coal Merchants Association, deny that the Congress to enact a raw prohibiting the sale and manufacture of liquors in the Hawallan Islands. Shorn of the objectionable phrase which aroused many delegates to patriotic speechessyesterday in defence of the soldiers the resolution was not opposed.

The conference designated the years TRENTON, May 10.—Deputies to the ing years for foreign missions and augeneral convention chosen by the Episthorized a plan to raise \$5,000,000 for copal diocese of New Jersey at its 144th foreign missionary purposes during that

onvention to-day were as follows: Clergy, R. E. Brestell, Camden; Charles M. Kirkham, Vineland; Ralph A resolution was adopted postponing any attempt to extend missionary ef V. Pomeroy, Princeton; Bowden Shepherd of Trenton, diocesan archdeacon.
Laymen, George A. Armour, Princeton;
A. A. Devoe, Princeton; Arthur M. Crane, Roselle.

Deputies to the Deputies to the provisional sunod clergy: Clergy. Thomas A. Conover, Ber-odist missionary work will exist in Eu-rardsville; Ralph E. Urban, Trenton; H. rope when the war is over. stand that the issue the companies will rardsville; Raiph E. Croan, Trenton; H. rope when the war is over.

A committee is considering a plan herd, Trenton. Laymen, John S. Broughherd, Trenton. Laymen, John S. Broughherd, Trenton; William F. Stroud, Morriston, Trenton; William F. Stroud, Morriston, Trenton; William S. F. Pierce, Camden, on the "open shop" plan.

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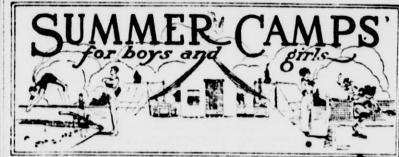
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